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THE TRUE OBJECT OF EDUCATION

At the dawn of the Twentieth Century, we find the world gone mad on the subject of education. Nations are viewing with each other in seeing which can be the most liberal in their appropriations for free education. In fact the standing of each nation is determined largely by feeling the pulse of her public schools. This is especially true of the various American States. Many of the states have appropriated enormous sums to pay for public instruction; nor have they stopped there, but many are supplying text books free of charge, transporting the child to and from school, thus relieving the parent of the expense and a great deal of the responsibility in the education of their children. Schools are provided for the masses, colleges for those who have the ambition to enter while the whole system is placed between as a sandwich, the child in the nursery and the college athlete.

From this system much knowledge can be gained; but knowledge, like power is good only when applied in the right direction and controlled. Knowledge in the hands of the right man is a blessing to the world, but in the hands of the wrong man is a curse, and the greater his power, the more dangerous he becomes.

The question facing us today is what is "The True Object in Education?"

If this question is properly answered, there will be less time wasted in studying the Theory of Evolution, The Probability of Planetary Habitability and much of the courses as now required in the leading schools which is simply crowding compressed learning into the pupil's head, while his soul is allowed to starve, and the mind is poisoned with the false idea that life is measured by dollars and cents.

Let us wipe off the slate, so to speak and learn some things over again. Let us change our obtained in educating and the conception of the object to be many evils that now afflict will disappear. Let us come to the conclusion that it is not the amount of knowledge, but the kind of knowledge that develop good citizens, and the doors of wisdom will open and a flood of real education will sweep the country. Let us decide that the true object in education is to teach the pupil to see, feel and think and set our selves to aid the pupil to develop these faculties. As one famous educator has said, "I had rather hear a boy say 'I seen' when he saw something than to say 'I saw' when he had not seen anything." Our children should be taught to see and feel the beauties of the world about them. They should be made to feel the inspiration that nature gives those who worship at her shrine.

Let us lead them along the gentle paths and besides the still waters, and near to nature's heart, teach them to commune with self and fill their souls with noble purposes. Let us open the pages of the past, and give them examples to inspire them to noble lives. Let us walk with them through the Valley of the Nile, through the groves of Athens; by Westminster Abbey to the glories of the New World and endeavor to show them the physical powers of man are limited, but the mental unbounded.

We must teach our boys that the home is not narrow and monotonous; that they must see something outside of the fields or shop or office, taking note of politics both state and national.

Our girls must be taught that they are not to shut themselves by drudgery, within the kitchen walls, while outside lies the universe and the great mysteries books and newspapers will open the chinks of prisoned lives, if we do not choose only the purient novel or the fashion

TO ASK FOR BIDS ON COFFEE ROADS

Members of a delegation of prominent citizens of coffee county, who called at the state highway department, Thursday to discuss prospect for construction of two important proposed highway projects in Coffee, were advised that the department early in the coming week will place advertisements for bids on the new road to be built from Enterprise to the Dale county line, in the direction of Ozark.

Colonel W. A. McCalla, state highway engineer, told the visitors from Coffee county that the state highway commission has approved plans for the Enterprise-Dale county line road and has authorized him to advertise at once for bids on the work.

He said in addition, that the commission has also approved plans for the other proposed highway, to extend from Elba to the Covington county line, in the direction of Opp, and that bids will be advertised for on this project likewise in the near future. State funds are available for both projects which comprise construction of approximately 20 miles of highway, it was announced.

The delegation from Coffee county in conference Thursday with Colonel McCalla, was composed of County Commissioners J. J. Moore, Mace Kysar, W. H. Ward, also W. A. McCalla and Jack D. Lee—The Montgomery Advertiser.

16 LBS. GRANULATED SUGAR, FOR \$1.05. MAYS-VAUGHN MERC. CO.

SINGING AT BASIN
There will be an all-day Sacred Harp singing at Basin School House on the first Sunday in October. All singers and others are invited to come and bring a well filled basket. J. M. Holloway, Secy.

ANNOUNCEMENT

The Clipper has been asked to announce that Bro. Gary will preach at Whitewater church the 4th Sunday night, Sept. 26th at 7 o'clock. Prayer meeting at 6:30. Everybody come.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Rowe and little son, Mrs. W. D. Pierson and Miss Glennie Rowe were visitors at Dothan last week.

CASH AND CARRY RAPE SEED 25c A POUND. MAYS-VAUGHN MERC. CO.

Re-apportionment of representation will give Coffee County two representatives instead of one only.

The rural schools will get seven months term the first year of the Graves administration. This intelligence has been flashed over the wires already by school authorities. One extra month will be a forward step the first year.

LOST—Pocket book somewhere in Elba with some cotton receipts and one \$10.00 bill and three pennies in it. Finder will be rewarded if returned to D. P. Maddox, Elba, Ala.

Miss Louise Cronier, of Montgomery, has been spending days in Elba as the guest of Miss Frances Mitchell.

column to read They cannot look up any question of history or science or watch the habits of the house dog on the hearth, the weeds in the yard or the beetle on the door-step without opening up and infinite vista, at the far side of which awaits God.

The true object in educating is to cut the windows of life's walls; to lift the roof and see what lies beyond; to see if our neighbors' lives are closed and dark and in some way let the sunshine of love and happiness shine through—and into the lives of others.

Jas. C. Dixon.

DEATH OF MR. NATHAN B. JOHNSON

On Sunday Aug. 29th, Mr. Nathan B. Johnson died after suffering three years and seven months and seventeen days with paralysis. He was confined to his bed all the time, helpless and unable to raise himself up. All was done for him that loving hands and medical aid could do.

His companion was right by his bed side all the time, doing something for him.

For sometime he knew that death was near, he said he was ready to go. He knew everything until the last and called to his family one by one, talked to them and told them good-bye.

About four hours before he died he called Arcada the youngest of his children and told her good by "and my Darling baby what will become of you?" He would tell all that came to see him he wanted to meet them in Heaven.

He was so pitiful all the time he was down, could not talk without crying, he leaves his wife and two daughters to mourn his death.

Mrs. John Prescott of Brantley and Miss Arcada Johnson of Glenwood.

USE MOTOPOWER GASOLINE IN THE BIG FORD MILEAGE CONTEST.

"Some are already asking Gov. Graves to pardon them for not supporting him. If he will pardon, they hope to be eligible for fat office."

CASH AND CARRY 4 LBS. BEST GREEN COFFEE WE HAVE EVER HAD, FOR \$1.00.

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What Will Cotton Bring?

Every farmer, every banker, every merchant, and every other person in Alabama is interested in the price of cotton. The big question which they are asking is: "What will cotton bring this fall?"

The market can do either of three things: it can remain steady, it can go down, or it can go up.

And the action of the market will be determined by the action of farmers, bankers, and merchants. If they act calmly and intelligently and sell it orderly the price should remain steady, and possibly advance if they dump it on the market without regard for price or demand the price is certain to go lower.

If bankers and merchants force farmers to sell in order to pay their debts many of them will not be able to pay out; and furthermore, bankers and merchants who do this will be forcing farmers to work against their own interest. They will be lowering the price and reducing the value of their own collateral.

There is absolutely no reason why this crop of cotton should be dumped on the market without regard for demand or price. The machinery is ready for merchandising. It is orderly so that it will bring the most to the farmers, bankers and merchants. The Alabama Farm Bureau Cotton Association is a cooperative marketing organization of growers, is prepared to finance every bale produced in Alabama. This Association is now advancing 10 cents per pound when members deliver their cotton. This is more than 60 per cent. of the market price; and it certainly is enough to relieve the banks and merchants for the time being. The balance will be received later, and in this way good business will be maintained through out the year.

The present Alabama crop of cotton is approximately three-fourths as large as the 1925 crop. The price is now about two-thirds of that of the same date last year. In ten days recently the market went off 2 cents per pound—equivalent to \$10,000,000 on the Alabama crop and a terrible price to pay for the lack of cooperation between farmers, bankers, and merchants.

The Alabama Farm Bureau Cotton Association is now entering upon its fifth year. It has become one of the most efficient cooperative marketing organizations in the world. It is now prepared to render a bigger service at a time of great need. Its business is orderly marketing, not holding; and it is all done on sound business principles with ample finances.

Farmers, bankers, merchants, and all others are invited to take advantage of the service of this organization.

THE ALABAMA FARM BUREAU FEDERATION, MONTGOMERY, ALABAMA.

ELBA HIGH OUTFIT ROUNDING IN SHAPE

Elba, Ala., Sept. 21.—With a week's training behind them the Elba High school football squad has taken on definite form and prospects point to a successful season. At present camp over the departure of Coach "Country" Oliver, who has left to join "Red" Grange's team in New York. His place will be hard to fill, but negotiations are underway with Ben Compton, another University of Alabama grid star. It has not been learned definitely whether he has come to terms or not.

The first real scrimmage was held Friday afternoon and several new men showed promise. Prescott, a green linesman, was all over the field and showed up well. "Red" Wilkes, another hefty member of the forward wall is showing promise of developing into a good linesman. Fountain a reserve of last year, is also showing up well in the line and backfield. Ham, a varsity linesman of last year, is back in camp and will soon be in shape for the season's grind. Rowell, the sensation of the team last year, and Wise, both three letter men, are playing good ball and expect to give opposing lines a great deal of trouble. The first game of the season is with the Opp team, Friday October 2.

Every wide-awake agricultural club boy wants to make an exhibit at one or more fairs. Many of them show at community, county, and State fairs.

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TWO REASONS Lights Out—Editor Out THE CLIPPER IS LATE

BRUNSON AND MARLEY HELD NOMINEES

The State Sub-Committee Saturday decided the proceedings taken by W. M. Brunson and D. C. Marley in the nature of an appeal from the action of the County Democratic Committee on August 28, whereby it was decided that neither should be certified as nominees on account of failure to comply with the corrupt practice law of Alabama.

The County Committee refused to advise certification of their nominations to the Probate Judge because W. M. Brunson had not attached an affidavit to his expense statements and had not stated there in anything about contributions to his campaign for the office of representative, and in the case of Mr. Marley because he failed to include in his expense statement anything about contributions, the corrupt practice should not be certified although candidates so failing should be successful in the primary election.

The Sub-Committee of the State Executive Committee held that the County Committee had no jurisdiction after the canvass of the votes and the certificate of results had been filed with the Probate Judge, and that the action of the County Committee on August 28th was not authorized by law. The effect of this decision was to hold that the Committee had nothing to do with the enforcement of the corrupt practice law.

Report is that the Attorney General recently ruled that each county is entitled to its \$200,000.00. This ruling resulted in calling off proposed road contracts. Dale County has already received its apportionment, and none of Coffee's money can be used outside of the County. There are three roads that can be built in Coffee, namely: From Elba towards Opp; from Elba towards Brantley; and from Enterprise towards Ozark, but neither further than the county line, unless there remains enough in adjoining counties to connect. If this situation results, Coffee will only connect its county seat with the County line.

COUNTY SCHOOLS TO OPEN OCTOBER 6

The rural schools of Coffee county will open the 1926-27 session on Wednesday October 6. All the teachers of the county will meet in an Institute Monday October 4-5 at ten o'clock in Elba. The law makes it compulsory that all teachers attend this Institute, the penalty for failure to do so without legal excuse being the cancellation of contract for this session. All citizens are cordially invited to be present at this meeting.

It is to be hoped that all parents in the county will recognize the importance of getting their children in school the first day and keeping them there regularly. The prospects are good for one of the best school years we have had yet.

J. E. Hudson, County Superintendent.

TWO CARLOADS

Just received a car of Type "Z" 6 hp. Fairbanks, Morse Engines for Peanut Pickers, and a car of Owensboro 2 1/2 Wagons. If in the market for either, see us first.

GOFF MERCHANDISE CO.

Enterprise, Alabama. "Coffee County's largest Mercantile Corporation."

It is not too late to put water works in the farm home. Any month in the year is a good month for relieving Mrs. Farmer, and the children of "totin' water."

New Brockton News

By Miss Alpha Moore.

Mr. and Mrs. Grady Taylor of Bethany spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. G. M. Fleming.

Rev. Joe Russell filled his regular appointment at Tabernacle Sunday.

Mr. W. A. White and W. A. Rainey motored to Dothan Sunday to bring Mr. C. M. Maddox home who has been ill some time in Fraziers hospital.

Miss Ruth Few spent the week end in Elba.

Messrs Roy and Jessie Fleming of Ashford is spending this week with Mr. and Mrs. G. M. Fleming.

Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Jones and children, John Henry and Joe, spent Sunday in Dothan. Mrs. Fletcher Martin accompanied them home to spend a few days. Mr. S. E. Folsom a prominent citizen of New Brockton died Saturday morning. Mr. Folsom was a member of the Primitive Baptist Church and was a splendid citizen and had a host of friends throughout this part of the state. The funeral service was conducted by his pastor Saturday afternoon at the residence and the body was laid to rest here in New Brockton cemetery beneath a bank of beautiful flowers. May God comfort the bereaved ones who is Holy Spirit.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to extend our sincere thanks to all those who were so kind and thoughtful to us during the long illness and death of our dear husband and father and brother Nathan B. Johnson. Especially do we thank Dr. Faustin of Brantley who was so good to come every time he was called, may God richest blessings be with you all.

Mrs. Nathan B. Johnson, And Children, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Johnson.

A news dispatch from Paris quotes the African Phosphate Bureau of Morocco as saying that last year 570,000 tons of phosphate of the total production of 712,000 tons were exported. The production in 1924 was 430,000 tons, and in 1923 it was 250,000 tons. The report claims that due to these exports American phosphates have been practically excluded from the markets of Holland, Germany, Norway, Denmark, the Baltic States, and the Union of South Africa.

The meeting at Liberty will not begin Sunday night on account of general conditions.

The first bale of 1926 cotton from the South Atlantic States was auctioned on the floors of the New York Cotton Exchange on July 29, and brought 80 cents a pound, or \$400. Bidding started with 50 cents a pound. The proceeds of the sale will be given to New York City charity. It was shipped to Liverpool to be re-auctioned for charity.

Another cotton picking season in Alabama is on the way. Several counties have already picked, ginned, and sold their "first bale" of 1926 and cotton pickers will soon be seen in the fields getting the grounds ready for next years crop. By the middle of September picking will be in progress in every section of Alabama.

A news item from Washington quotes a Government official as saying that "farm radio per dollar invested is bringing to the farmers of the nation more dollars and cents return, and is doing more to bring about a better contented and more understanding class of farmers than any other single scientific contribution of the age."

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Announcing The Formal
Opening of Our New
Departments.....

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Ready-to-Wear
Baby-Wear

In our Millinery Department you will find the season's very newest offerings in Hats, in a wide range of shapes and Colors. Included in this line is a selection of the famous Gage Felts. Be Sure to see them. You will surely admire our new Millinery.

Our new Fall and Winter Dresses, Coats and Suits, are smart in line, smart in tailoring, smart in range of fabrics—but exceptionally economical in price. In the models shown, you will find correct interpretation of the season's prevailing Modes—

AND WHAT TO GET FOR BABY

That's easy to decide here—We have every needed item, and all so convenient ly arranged that you will enjoy shopping here—



Mays-Vaughn
Mercantile Co.
Elba, Alabama

CHESTNUT GROVE NEWS

We are having plenty of rain now. The health of our community is very good at present and we hope that it will continue in the future.

Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Clower and children and Miss Wilma Clower and Anton Clower visited relatives at Hartford Sunday, R. R. Durden.

Mrs. M. M. Morrison visited her son, Mr. Marlin Morrison of Enterprise Sunday.

Mr. Colie Clower, Foster Ziglar and Miss Ollie Ziglar, of this community left last week to attend this school term at Brundidge.

Miss Mae Stinson also left last Monday for school in Elba.

We wish them success throughout the school.

Mrs. L. W. Clower spent the day with her sister Sunday, Mrs. R. R. Durden.

Mr. and Mrs. Willie Avant visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Rogers, Saturday.

Mr. Anton Clower is spending this week with his sister at Hartford, Mrs. Lonnie Helms.

Mr. G. C. Rogers and family spent the night with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Tillman Monday night.

Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Clower spent the night with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Tillman Monday night.

Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Durden spent the night with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Tillman Monday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Dismukes spent the night with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Dismukes Monday night.

Mrs. Louise Rogers spent the day with Mrs. Iola Clower Tuesday.

Don't swear
When It Breaks!

Call on us. We weld any kind of broken farm implement.



Any damaged metal part put back to work in a jiffy by oxy-acetylene welding.

If it's too big to bring in, we'll come out and do it on the spot!

Dorsey Bros.

USED CAR BARGAINS

Ford Coupe	1923	Model	\$100.00
Ford Truck	1925	Model	\$125.00
Ford Tourin	1925	Model	\$225.00
Chevrolet Tour.	1926	Model	400.00

AND SOME MORE GOOD ONES

Rainer Motor Co., Inc.
PHONE 229 — — — ELBA, ALA.

Used
Fords

Ford
THE UNIVERSAL CAR

1 Out of 50
is the other

In the newspapers and circulars you will find the Ford car advertised. If you didn't know the difference, you would expect every car dealer to be a Ford dealer. Not so, the Ford car is similar to a good bond. Good bonds are for sale by most every Security Trust, they are willing to accept unquestionable quality just as other dealers are willing to accept Ford's quality. More than 50 per cent of cars advertised by other dealers are Ford cars. There must be some logical reason and the one most commonly known is they are easy to sell—easy to repair and lowest to operate.

NO BARGAINS

You rarely ever see a quality product go on sale. This is why you never see bargains advertised by Ford dealers. You can purchase a Ford car from an Authorized Dealer just as cheaply one time as another. The price and quality is always the same. You are never to regret an investment after seeing some particular Ford advertised so low, and the price you paid was higher.

BUY FROM AN AUTHORIZED DEALER TO INSURE HIGH QUALITY AND STANDARD PRICES. VARIOUS STOCK TO SELECT FROM

Dorsey Brothers
AUTHORIZED DEALERS
Elba, Alabama

Used
Fords

These are not bargains

Used
Fords

WITH MOTOPOWER THE CASH PRIZE OF \$200.00 WILL BE EASY.

PARM FOR SALE—160 acres of good land three and one half miles north of Opp. 150 acres in cultivation. See John Jackson at Dorsey Bros. Elba, Ala.

CASH AND CARRY 3 15c CANS POTASH FOR 25c. MAYS-VAUGHN MERC. CO.

It looks now as though the barns on Alabama farms will store this fall the biggest feed crop in several years.

USE MOTOPOWER GASOLINE IN THE BIG FORD MILEAGE CONTEST.

More Alabama farmers will enjoy radio next fall and winter.

NOTICE OF SALE OF LAND

By virtue of an order and decree of the Probate Court of Coffee County, Alabama, at Elba, rendered on the 15th day of April, 1926, on the application of the undersigned, as executor of the estate of Samantha Lowery, deceased, I shall proceed to sell to the highest bidder, for cash, at public auction, in front of the west door of the Court House in Coffee County, Alabama, at Elba, within the legal hours of sale on Saturday, the 16th day of October, 1926, the following described real estate:

The W 1/2 of NE 1/4, SE 1/4 of NE 1/4, N 1/2 of SE 1/4 of Section 7, Township 6, Range 22, Coffee County, Alabama. Said sale will be made for the purpose of division amongst the joint owners thereof.

Witness my hand, this 21st day of September, 1926.

Grade Lowery, Executor of the estate of, Samantha Lowery, deceased.

23-50-7.

Cotton should be examined every day during August to see about boll weevil army worm, and other insects pests.

Early in the harvest season the farmer will be busy. Good judgement in harvesting and storage will pay.



Every banker knows how many farmers in his community has used the oats bin as his bank, because when the farmer finds his roll of greenbacks chewed to bits he goes to the bank for advice.

The farmer seldom says anything about it, because he doesn't want to be ridiculed, and the bank says nothing, because bankers do not talk about business of customers.

If you are using the oats bin as a receptacle for your money stop now. Deposit it in our bank.

ELBA BANK & TRUST COMPANY
Y. W. RAINER, President. S. H. BROCK, Vice-President.
J. LESLIE MIXSON, Cashier. W. M. FARRIS, Asst. Cashier.
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MISS JAMES URGES FARMERS TO CONSIDER WATER SYSTEMS.

Could you farm without a mule or horse? Just suppose that you had to plant and cultivate your crop with a hoe, would you make a great deal of money? And would it be easy work? Why do you buy improved farming implements? It is necessary to have improved farm machinery in order that we may cultivate more land and make more money. We thereby enjoy living much more. But that is not all. The main reason is to make our work easier. But what have we done to make the work easier for the wife back home? We hire taxis at 15c per mile but the wife walks fifteen miles and carries a bucket of water to save 15c. More than that she must draw several buckets of water out of a deep well without additional pay.

Men, you have a partner in your business, and her work is just as important as yours. She is 25 years behind you in improved machinery for her work. Is it fair? Suppose you begin by installing a water system to help her catch up with you in progress. A mule pays for itself by enabling you to do more better and easier work. So does a water system. It pays for itself in time saved you in watering your stock. Your wife in time saved in cooking and in washing the dishes, in doing the laundry and both of you in the protection of your children and yourself against disease.

You can install a water system complete for \$400.00 including pumps, power, tank, kitchen sink, hot water tank, bath room equipment and Septic tank. Ask your County or home demonstration agent for Circular 80 and talk to them about your system.

LEAGUE SOCIAL All Leaguers and their friends will have a social at the parlance at 7:30 Friday evening. Misses Jeanette Garrett and Mary Palmer will be in charge.

Mrs. Terry Kendrick was carried to Montgomery Friday morning where she was operated on for appendicitis. Last report she was doing nicely.

Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Russ and family left last week to make their home in Troy, Elba people regret to lose this splendid family.

MRS. C. E. DORSEY ENTERTAINS

Mrs. C. E. Dorsey was hostess to the Willing Workers Club Tuesday afternoon. Baskets of cut flowers and ferns added to the beauty of the spacious living room where the meeting was held. Important business matters were discussed. The treasurer made a splendid report. A committee was appointed to find any school boy or girl who needed financial aid and report to the Club. The ladies voted to meet at the church twice each week to study the S. S. Manual at which time anyone who desires is invited to come and take part in the study. The meeting was dismissed with prayer.

The paving of court square and a portion of Davis street is now completed. The last of the concrete having been poured on Tuesday afternoon. The construction crew is now at work cleaning up the pavement and the streets, and a portion of the pavement will be opened for traffic within the next few days. A part of the streets, however, will be closed for several days yet.

The work of remodeling and enlarging the courthouse is still in progress. The job will be completed within the next sixty days. The size of the building is practically doubled. When completed there will be ample space for all public offices, some of which are now located in other buildings. There are vaults for each department, sleeping quarters for the jury, and an enlarged courtroom.

The building is much more beautiful than it was.

The old town well which is on the square is also being improved. Four large brick columns have been erected to support the concrete roof, and the structure will be very beautiful when completed. This is a deep well and the people of this town have been drinking water from this well for more than 25 years.

On the east side of the square there is now under construction two beautiful brick buildings, one being erected by Gus Devane and the other by J. J. Lindsey. Work is being rushed on these buildings and they will be complete within the next few weeks.

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It is further ordered by the Committee that a copy of the foregoing opinion and order be delivered, postage prepaid, by mail to Hon. P. B. Trawick, Chairman of the County Executive Committee of the Democratic Party of Coffee County, Alabama, and that a copy be also transmitted in the same manner to Hon. J. A. Canley Judge of Probate of said County, Elba, Alabama, and that petitioner be furnished a copy, and the original to be filed with the Hon. R. B. Evans, Chairman of the said State Committee, Birmingham, Alabama.

Montgomery, Alabama, September 18, 1926.

STATE DEMOCRATIC EXECUTIVE COM. OF ALA.
By R. B. EVANS, Chm.

ELBA FOOTBALL SCHEDULE

Oct. 1, Opp. There.
Oct. 8, —Open.
Oct. 15, Newton Ins. Here.
Oct. 22, Florala, There.
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ELBA IN MIDST OF GREATEST BUILDING BOOM IN HISTORY

COURT SQUARE HAS BEEN PAVED; COURT HOUSE BEING ENLARGED AND REMODELED; NEW BUSINESS HOUSES BEING BUILT AND MANY NEW RESIDENCES NOW UNDER CONSTRUCTION.

Elba is now in the midst of one of the greatest building booms that the town has experienced in many years. Building activities are noted in all sections of the town. New residences are being built, others are being remodeled and repainted, and the old town is showing progress along all lines.

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Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Canley spent Friday and Saturday in Montgomery.

"ELBA GIRL SCOUTS ORGANIZED"

The girls of Elba met Friday September 17, at the Elba High School, and organized a girl Scout Troop with Miss Alpha Jernigan as leader, the Patrols were formed and patrol leaders appointed.

There are four patrols with six to ten in each. The patrol leaders are: Patrol one; Eleanor Conner, Patrol two; Kathleen Talbot, Patrol three; Ethel Louise Mitchell and patrol four Louise Johnson. The following names were chosen for the Patrols: Wachula, Minnetonka, Fire-Flys and Onedie.

Another meeting will be held Wednesday afternoon. The girls are looking forward to a number of interesting meetings with picnics, hikes and parties.

CIVIC CLUB MEETING

The Civic Club met at the Methodist Church Friday afternoon, September 24, at its regular meeting. All club members are requested to make some article to sell. These articles will be displayed in one of the windows at Mr. Blocker's store and will be for sale at anytime.

All members who have not paid their dues are specially requested to do so by or at the next regular meeting on October 8th.

Mr. and Mrs. Jno. Frank Davis, Mrs. John Davis and Mrs. W. M. Tucker spent Sunday with relatives in Montgomery.

Mrs. R. E. James and little son, Earl visited friends in Enterprise last week.

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MR. DORSEY ATTENDS DEALERS MEETING IN ATLANTA

Mr. C. E. Dorsey has just returned from a meeting of Ford dealers at the Biltmore Hotel in Atlanta where advanced methods of service to owners, together with a discussion of new refinements and improvements now in production at the Atlanta Plant of the Ford Motor Company were the chief topics covered.

"With the Ford Company's daily production now at 7,500 cars, and the demand increasing daily," Mr. Dorsey stated, "every indication points toward an unusual volume of sales."

The chief concern of the Atlanta Plant is to build cars fast enough to supply the demand.

"The present Ford car is the best that has ever been built in the history of the Ford Motor Company," he declared, "and the constant improvements we are making in our facilities to render service to our owners here, together with the car's dependability and economy, prove a big factor in its unceasing popularity."

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Boutwell, Mr. Terry Kendrick, and little Olive Ray Kendrick visited Mrs. Terry Kendrick at St. Margaret's hospital Sunday.

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